MISCELLANEOUS.

The 46th Jewel in the National Diadem-Oklahoma.

Senator Owens represented Oklahoma before the Annual Banquet of the Jewelers' of the United States at the Delmonico, New York. This beautiful banquet, with four hundred notable guests, had invited Senator Owen as the Guest of Honor to deliver the principal speech of the occasion, which he did in answer to the toast "The 46th Jewel in the National Diadem—Oklahoma."

The Jewelers' Circular-Weekly of New York gives the following account of the speech:

Senator Owen, the next speaker, tall, handsome, and in the prime of manhood, captivated his hearers at once and held the attention of everybody in the room from the moment he said his first word until the end of his closing paragraph His clear diction and apt phrasing and the beautiful flow of language in which he expressed, not in simile metaphor, but in syllogistic clauses, his ideas on his State upon important economic questions and upon how they have been served in his commonwealth, held every ear; except when he was interrupted by applause the silence of his auditors paid most eloquent tribute to the speaker. His discourse was a mass of facts, but they were as interesting as if they were anecdotes instead.

Senator Owens discussed the 46th Jewel in the National Diadem—Oklahoma. He told of its size, showing it as large as Massachussets, Connecticut, Rhode Island, New Hampshire, New Jersey, Vermont, Delaware and the half of New